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Federal Communications Commission Washington, DC 20554

Re: Amendment of the Commission's Rules to ECEIVED
Establish a Single AM Broadcast Stereo

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In the early 1980's WTLB(AM) engineered a major daytime power increase from 1 kilowatt (kw) non-directional to 5 kw directional. Our nighttime signal remained at 500 watts directional. We also decided to make a major investment in AM stereo technology and were free to choose among the systems available. Since we did not want to degrade our signal in any way, especially at night, we carefully evaluated each AM stereo system.

The Kahn Independent Sideband system was clearly the system of choice because it was not affected by external influences such as co-channel interference. Indeed, our nighttime coverage actually improved because we were now able to





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